

FISCAL NOTE

HB 1952 - SB 2296

March 13, 2007

SUMMARY OF BILL: Broadens requirements for an arrest for an order of protection violation to include an ex parte order of protection and requires that prior to an arrest for an ex parte order of protection the respondent has been served with such order. Establishes a Class C misdemeanor for a violation of an ex parte order of protection.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant
Increase Local Govt. Revenues – Not Significant

Assumptions:

- The proposed legislation establishes the same arrest requirements for violations of ex parte orders of protection as are currently required for violations of orders of protection. There will not be a significant increase in expenditures to local law enforcement agencies.
- There will not be a significant increase in Class C misdemeanors for violations of an ex parte order of protection. Such will not result in a significant increase in local government expenditures or revenues.
- There will not be a significant increase in the caseloads of the local courts. Any increase in local expenditures will be absorbed within existing resources.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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